







## BETHLEHEM IS PEACEFUL SPOT ON CHRISTMAS

Holy City Church Bells Are Not Broadcast As In Previous Years

JERUSALEM, Dec. 26.—The bells of Bethlehem rang out a message of "Peace on Earth," Monday night, as the city was at peace for the first time in three years. Long-standing strife between the Jews and Arabs for the control of Palestine was stilled.

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The attendance was heavy at the St. George's (Anglican) Cathedral. Members of the Young Men's Christian Association revived their traditional services, singing hymns three years because of disturbances, at Tel Aviv, known as the "Field of the Shepherd."

**LIGHTS CROWN HILLS**

Bonfires were lighted for an evening service in the hills. The shepherds received their celestial warning of the birth of Christ. Before the ritual, the group gathered at the entrance to a cave and partook of bread and wine, part of the aged, masticated olive herbs.

With lights crowning the hills, they received the glad tidings "To you this day is born of David's line, the Saviour who is Christ the Lord."

## TAYLOR NAMED EMISSARY FOR PEACE TO POPE

Acts As Representative Of President Roosevelt To Vatican

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—President Roosevelt Saturday appointed Myron C. Taylor, a personal representative to the Vatican to further common efforts for peace and the alleviation of suffering arising from the abnormal world situation.

The President so informed Pope Pius in a letter transmitted to Archbishop Francis J. Spellman of New York by one of A. Berle, assistant secretary of state, handed it yesterday to Archbishop Spellman.

At the same time, the Pope's representative, the apostolic delegate here, told Dr. George A. Buttrick, president of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, a Protestant leader, and Rabbi Cyrus Adler, president of the Jewish Theological Seminary of America, as a leader of the Jewish faith, asking them to visit him from time to time to discuss problems arising out of the world situation.

While House officials made clear that the move was not a restoration of diplomatic representation to the Vatican, which terminated in 1870, Taylor will be the President's personal representative, not a representative of the government.

## GUARD HURT AS PRISONER TRIES BREAK

WINNIPEG, Dec. 26.—William Winnipeg, guard at Stony Mountain penitentiary, 20 miles northwest, here, was injured yesterday when a prisoner named Levard attempted to escape.

Levard took part in another attempted prison break three months ago and since then has been forced to take his morning exercise alone and under surveillance. While taking his exercise Monday he seized a rock and sprang at Levard, injuring him about the face and hand.

After several guards rushed to the man's aid, he subdued the prisoner and took him to the doctor's office for examination. In a momentary relaxation there, he sprang at the prison doctor, Dr. T. O'Connell, who was seized by guards before he could inflict any injuries.

## AMERICANS MAKE PROTEST OVER BATTLES AT SEA

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—The United States and 20 other nations can republish Saturday protested to France, Great Britain and Germany against activities of their warships in American waters—including the battle between the Graf Spee and British cruisers off Uruguay.

In the announcement made simultaneously to the capitals of the 21 republics, it was claimed that continental neutrality had been affected through the Graf Spee incident off Montevideo and the sinking of the German ship, the Deutschland, by American and British warships.

## Dance Sub Rhumba



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## Hearty English Welcome Given Canadian Soldiers Over Christmas Holiday

### 60 PRISONERS STAGE RIOT IN IRELAND

Police Pitched Battle With Wagon In Londonderry

Prison Monday

LONDON, Dec. 26.—Sixty military prisoners, armed with machine guns, and the British Home Office, staged a riot in Londonderry last Monday before finally surrendering after a five-hour siege.

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**ATTACK WARDENS**

The jail was especially equipped during the autumn as an internment camp. The 60 Irish suspects have been lodged in it for duration of the war.

After the breakfast Monday morning, the suspects, who were kept under guard for exercise, suddenly attacked the wardens who were opening their doors and overpowered three of them.

The prisoners locked the guard's keys and locked the wardens in cells together with three prisoners who refused to join the outbreak.

The prisoners locked three steel doors, barricaded the street with furniture. Then they set fire to their bedding and smashed everything in their way.

**TROOPS, POLICE CALLED**

A state of siege prevailed from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. when the military police, District Inspector at Londonderry police chief, with the British Home Office, staged a riot in Londonderry last Monday before finally surrendering after a five-hour siege.

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## Flash!



By GILLIS PUELLI, Canadian Press Staff Writer

ALBANY, England, Dec. 26.—Christmas came to Canada's soldiers in the overseas forces of a full-hearted English welcome to the victors far from home, but even the friendly welcome flaming on plan pudding did not damp a touch of loneliness for the far-off.

Hospitable suburbanites showered the Canadian Active Service Force with invitations for Christmas dinner in an English home for everyone desiring it. More than 300 were on leave with friends or relatives. Special provision was made for the troops in such London places as the Victoria League club where a comfortable bed and breakfast for a five-day leave for 16 shillings. All Christmas day meals were free.

**WELCOME APPRECIATED**

Thousands remaining in camp joined the morning church services which were exceptionally well attended. All chaplains stressed the appreciation felt by Canadians over the welcome extended to the troops, adding that naturally, home being the centre of the Christmas celebration, the troops' thoughts were directed toward Canada.

One chaplain expressed the feeling in this way: "Some of the boys are a bit lonely despite the kindness of the English people and the fact many comrades were granted leave together. Young men away from home for the first time, and separated from their families, can not prevent the suggestion of a tear in the eye. Delay of letters and parcels in the mail does not help. However, all realize that everything possible has been done to make them happy."

Dinner was held at noon in the various messes, decorated with bolly, where the chill, foggy weather outside was forgotten. There was no party in the afternoon, special Christmas program which was broadcast to Canada.

The boys apparently were thrilled to realize that a mass message had been transmitted home. Everybody turned in early, because of the dampening blackout in preparation for the Boxing Day program when Brigadier G. H. Pearkes, C.M.G., commander of the

second infantry brigade, will take the salute at the march past.

**Fish Diet Helped**

BALLARAT, Aust. Dec. 26.—Fish in Lake Catani are undernourished, anglers have decided, so aquatic plants from Lake Wendouree, where fish are plump, are being transferred to Catani.

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## Whites Join Eskimos in Christmas Celebration In Land of Midnight Sun

### RESOLUTION ISLAND, N.W.T., Dec. 26.—A Polar bear hunt ended yesterday's celebration of Christmas in Resolution Island, Canada's Gibraltar of the north.

Here and elsewhere in the dominion's land of the midnight sun, whites joined with Eskimos in ship, good fellowship and feasting to celebrate the anniversary of the birth of Christ.

On Resolution, where the wind-swept ice hummocks guard the entrance to Hudson Strait, Christmas appetites were well whetted by the time a Polar bear had been brought down before dinner.

**EXTRA RATIONS FOR ALL**

The day dawned clear and extremely cold and the men of the dominion government radio station and the trading post were enjoying a few minutes of ease, after listening to the king's broadcast, when they heard the dogs howling.

They went outside to sight a Polar bear on the ice and gave fast pursuit, bringing it down with several shots. The short Arctic day was ending when they returned to the post for Christmas dinner. The hunt was a success.

Brenda Frazier, who rates as a million-dollar glamor girl, "model" the famed \$100,000, 125-carat Jumbo diamond at New York jewelry fashion show.

**British Steamer Reported As Being Chased By U-Boat**

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—MacKay radio reported intercepting a wireless message at 11:31 a.m. M.S.T. Monday from the British steamship Browne, saying it was being chased by submarine.

The distress message cut off after a single brief statement of its plight. The ship is a 3,000-ton craft, operating out of Liverpool.

**Eskimos Hold Dance**

The Eskimos there held their annual dance during which those stationed at various Hudson's Bay company posts in the eastern Arctic talk to each other. No longer "mike shy," the Eskimos confided freely with relatives who were enjoying similar festivities many miles distant.

At Fort Harrison, Que., on the east coast of Hudson Bay, mock elections, pyrotechnics and fireworks and the customary Eskimo dance followed Christmas dinner.

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## BRITISH FLEET GETS GREETINGS OF ADMIRALTY

LONDON, Dec. 26.—The Admiralty sent a greeting to members of the British fleet yesterday expressing appreciation for their "determination and enthusiasm" and wishing "success to all those who will be fortunate enough to get in contact with the enemy."

The message in part read: "As the war at sea must be pushed with the same unrelenting zeal during the Christmas season as it has been since the beginning of the war, there will be opportunities for officers and men of the fleet to spend Christmas with their families. Their holidays desire, therefore, to take this opportunity of thanking all officers and men for the devotion to duty, determination and enthusiasm which have animated the fleet during the past four months."

"To the families of those serving at sea their holidays extend their warmest good wishes."

**Alien Singers**

MELBOURNE, Aust. Dec. 26.—When Roman Catholics here celebrated the 10th anniversary of the church in Australia, the Mozart Viennese Quartet performed here and "technically enemies" took part in the service.

Uganda Island described it as a "grand shindig." Old traditions are such as "Cook of the North" and the "Macled Reel" were played over and over again.

Those tunes are Kokim favorites. The Eskimos enjoyed the annual shortwave broadcast during which those stationed at various Hudson's Bay company posts in the eastern Arctic talk to each other. No longer "mike shy," the Eskimos confided freely with relatives who were enjoying similar festivities many miles distant.

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## Debunker

**SINKING OF THE LUSITANIA DID NOT CAUSE THE U.S. TO ENTER THE WORLD WAR**

Many of the sensational events of the 1914 World War have overshadowed the real events. The sinking of the Lusitania created such a feeling of war fever and indignation that many people believe today that it was the cause of the entrance of the United States into the war. The Lusitania was sunk in May, 1915, and the United States did not enter the war till nearly two years later, on April 6, 1917, and, meanwhile, Wilson was re-elected on the slogan



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By CAROL AIMES



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## What's on the Air

These programs are applied radio as a guide. They are changes in programs are due to last-minute revisions made by broadcast companies. All times are Mountain Standard Time.

CBS—600 kilocycles. Operated by Columbia Broadcasting System.

CNBC—540 kilocycles. Owned and operated by Sunnyside Broadcasting Co., Ltd., Edmonton.

CICA—720 kilocycles. Operated by Taylor & Paterson, Broadcasters, Ltd., Ltd., Edmonton.

CBS—540 kilocycles. Operated by Columbia Broadcasting System.

NBC—Canadian Broadcasting Corporation. Operated by National Broadcasting Company, Inc., New York.

CFMA—540 kilocycles. Operated by Canadian Forces Music.

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## NBC

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# More Calories Always Means Greater Weight

By ALICIA HART

The woman who complains that her neck is too thin usually turns out to be underweight. In such cases, the very best way to gain weight is to eliminate the screw-neck look by gaining a few pounds.

## Raising A Family

When the boy reaches "gang" age, about parents:

A. Try to hold him close to the family.

B. Let him know they don't approve of his "gang."

C. Make his interests their interests.

D. Feel hurt because he seems to be forgetting his parents.

E. Be sure he is not a "lost" boy.

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## Dorothy Dix Says:

I have always contended that the reason there are so many more divorces now than there used to be, and why so many sleepless mothers toss on their beds asking themselves why their marriages are so unhappy, is because of modern architecture whose chief object is to be just as much as many people as possible in the smallest amount of space, and to permit no one to have as much privacy as the traditional golden rule in a glass bowl.

## Home Service

Find Cheer in Poetry Throughout the Year

Do you remember those lines by James Thomson? Often in this season filled with thoughts of home, love and friendship, such favorite verses come to mind.

## Sonnysayings

How warmly human is Burns' "A Man's Man" than "I wish that man to man, the world's a shell, shall be proud for a' that."

## Animal Crackers

Footprints on the sands of time; Footprints, that perhaps another, Sailing over life's solemn morn, A foreign and shipwrecked brother, Seeking, shall leave heart again.

## Clearance

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...home is bright with a calm delight, Though the room be poor indeed.

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# McKenney On Bridge

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By MRS. R. C. YOUNG

As told to Wm. E. McKenney, American Card Authority

## What To Do

In closing this series of articles, let me say that you should try to be versatile in your bidding. Choose your line of attack once in a while. When are expected to do the bookish thing. Make your opponents guess occasionally. If they guess

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## Little Orphan Annie

## "Saint Nick"

## —By Gray



## SERIAL STORY

## BLACKOUT

BY RUTH AYERS

# Exciting Epic of Four Young Lives As Remade by War

## War Broke The Heart of This Maid

## CAST OF CHARACTERS

MARK CARROLL—American fashion expert, in London during war-time.  
VINCENT GREGG—soldier of fortune, in love with Mary.  
CARLA MARCHETTA—a mysterious London socialite.  
DR. GILBERT LENOX—surgeon serving with British army.

## CHAPTER ONE

## BLACKOUT IN LONDON

Outside, the shaft in Trafalgar Square loomed like a ghost, towering and dim.

Inside, in a restaurant on a nearby street, blue bulbs cast eerie shadows on two figures.

You could see at a glance that Mary Carroll and Vincent Gregg were Americans, and Americans in love.

"Maybe this time next week we'll be back in New York," Mary said. "I'll be heavenly to see Broadway blazing in lights after all these weeks of blind man's buff. I've had enough war to last a lifetime."

Vincent chuckled. "Well, we have something to tell our grandchildren—yours and mine. I mean, you and I feeling like refugees from Paris and being in London in blackouts. I'll be quite a yarn to spin from a rocking chair."

Mary smiled slowly. "Punty, isn't it?" she mused. "You've already talking about our grandchildren and a few months ago we hadn't even met. It was all so strange, our meeting in Paris."

She nodded. Vincent looked at her usual upbush as he answered, furtive. "Why, darling, that's the famous Carla Marquette."



Mary  
War broke her heart, disfigured her face. . . But she had courage to fight against all odds.

"Oh—and should I know who she is?"  
"Heavens, yes. You've seen her picture often enough in the soci-

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## The Gumps

## Advice From the Bench

## —By Edson



## Moon Mullins

## Women of Letters

## —By Willard



## Gasoline Alley

## One Cloud

## —By King



## Dick Tracy

## That After Christmas Let-Down

## —By Chester Gould



## Boots and Her Buddies

## Leave It to Pug

## —By Martin



## Alley Oop

## Maybe He'll Learn About Women

## —By Hamlin



## Freckles

## —By Merrill Blosser



## Curious World —By William Ferguson





# World-Wide News Pictures By The Edmonton Bulletin Cameramen

## Future Canadian Air Aces Get Their Wings



At various air training stations throughout Canada, which are hives of activities as Canada's fighting airmen are rapidly being taught to handle various types of fighting and bombing planes. In the near future pilots from England, New Zealand and Australia will come to Canada for advanced training as the gigantic British Commonwealth Air Training Plan hits its stride to turn out the world's greatest air force.

## Polish Destroyers Elude Nazi Fleet



Flouting the German fleet after the collapse of Poland, a number of Polish destroyers made their way to England and are now aiding the British navy. Pictured here is one of them in an English port, with torpedo tubes and anti-aircraft guns manned, ready to do its share in the patrol of the North Sea.

## Thousands More



Pilots like these three will be turned out in Canada as the new British Commonwealth Air Training plan begins operation. Under this plan airmen from England, New Zealand and Australia will receive advanced training in Canada.

## Double Exposure



The Western Front again is as muddy as the A.E.F. remembers it. Above, a working party of killed Scots—ladies from Hell—is mired in a water-hole created by recent rains.

## Of Corsets

### Just a Gag



It probably had to come sooner or later. Yes, the corset has hit the beach. Violet Lynch models the new corset bathing suit at Miami, Fla.



This huge "For Sale" sign appears in front of the suburban mansion of Mrs. Emma Bergdoll at Briarcliff, Pa. She is the mother of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, World War draft dodger now in Federal prison.

## Buys For France



Frederic Bloch-Laine, director of the French purchasing commission which has opened offices in New York for the purpose of directing war purchases for France in the United States.

## To Live in U.S.



General Kuanglin Booth, former head of the Salvation Army, is pictured as she arrived in New York from England. She will retire to her home at Harrogate, N.Y.

## King George Misses Nothing



When the King visited his troops in France, he missed nothing that would show him under just what conditions the army was living and fighting. Here he is seen leaving one of the trenches close-up to front lines.

## Station C-O-P Royal Reunion



New York detective shows microphone of new miniature radio transmitter with which department is experimenting. Worn under coat, it has about 200-foot broadcast range. With it, cop can eavesdrop and broadcast suspect's conversation without his knowledge.



Bombs are no respecters of money and like other British children, the son and daughter of the Duke and Duchess of Kent have been evacuated from London to safety "somewhere in England." On leave from service in the Royal Navy, the Duke is pictured with his Duchess, Prince Edward and Princess Alexandra during a brief reunion.

## Fair Finns Compete Equally



In all strata of Finnish society women and men compete on equal terms. They receive, in most cases the same wages, thus the keeping of large numbers of reserves at the frontiers during the current tension with the Soviet has not affected Finnish national life as much as foreign observers had expected. The photograph shows that getting a shave is apparently quite a pleasant business in Finland when you have a war-time barber of Helsinki. At right we see a girl of the Women's Auxiliary Air Force all ready for cleaning fatigue, with broom and dust bin, at a Royal Air Force station near London. This picture has been passed by the Ministry of Information.

## North Sea Gibraltar Bombed by British



Settlement and official buildings on island of Heligoland, German naval stronghold, photographed from a Nazi troopship. British fliers bombed this rocky "Gibraltar of the North Sea," claimed "direct hit" on German cruisers and destroyers.













